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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, enclosed are an Information Disclosure Citation in an Application and Form PTO-A820.

This Information Disclosure Citation is timely filed and should be considered as it is filed before the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits of the subject application pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(b)(3).

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		US 2003/0087072 A1	05/08/2003	Huffer			
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